

# CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

COMMISSION ON FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL



# 2007

# TRAINING CALENDAR







## A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING

Greetings:

Welcome to the Connecticut Fire Academy 2007 Fire Training Calendar. The goal of this calendar is to extend training opportunities to the state of Connecticut fire service personnel and organizations thereby enabling local emergency responders to better serve the residents in their communities.

Training programs in this calendar that have been updated include NIMS ICS 300 and 400 levels. Two new courses are Surface Water Rescue Awareness and Operations which will train firefighters so their organizations can operate at the NFPA 1670 level.

Commencing fall of 2007, our Recruit Firefighter Class is expanding to 14 weeks. The additional days of training will be used to increase student rotations in skill development classes. We feature skills during our weekly operations days that allow us to train in the manner that we respond and develop individual proficiency.

At the request of Department of Emergency Management and Homeland Security we are offering ICALL/ITAC interoperability training programs in each DEMHS region. This is an opportunity to reacquaint responders with protocols and radio operations as well as a time for new employees to learn about communications and support available for large scale incidents. Replacement batteries will be available for those still using the original issue.

Our Connecticut Fire Academy Bookstore continues to support promotional tests by supplying exam preparation study guides from three different publishers. If you or your department informs the bookstore manager of a pending test, we will ensure that we have a sufficient supply of the identified texts for those eligible for promotion.

This calendar only represents some of the courses we have available. If you do not see what you need, call us. You will be surprised at what we can deliver. Whatever your training and education needs are, we are available to help you achieve your goals.

To your success,

**Adam D. Piskura**, Director of Training

### CFP&C, CFA STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

**Office Hours are M-F a.m. 8:30-4:30 p.m.**

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**In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473**

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#### Program Hours

Day programs are from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Evening programs are from 6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Please refer to your confirmation for specific times.

[www.ct.gov/cfpc](http://www.ct.gov/cfpc)

Please note that some locations, times, and dates are subject to changes without notice. Registered students will be notified if any change do occur.

#### Connecticut Fire Academy Acceptance Notices and Refund/Cancellation Policy

Acceptance notices with directions will be mailed as soon as programs are filled or approximately two weeks prior to the start of all programs. Applicants not accepted in a program will generally be notified within a week of our receiving of their application.

Seating is limited for many Connecticut Fire Academy programs. Please notify the Training Registrar promptly in the event of a need to cancel your registration. Not only will your refund be processed in a timely manner, but your seat can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Students canceling at least seven days in advance of a program will receive a full refund. Please note that refunds are processed by the state Comptroller's Office and may take up to one month.

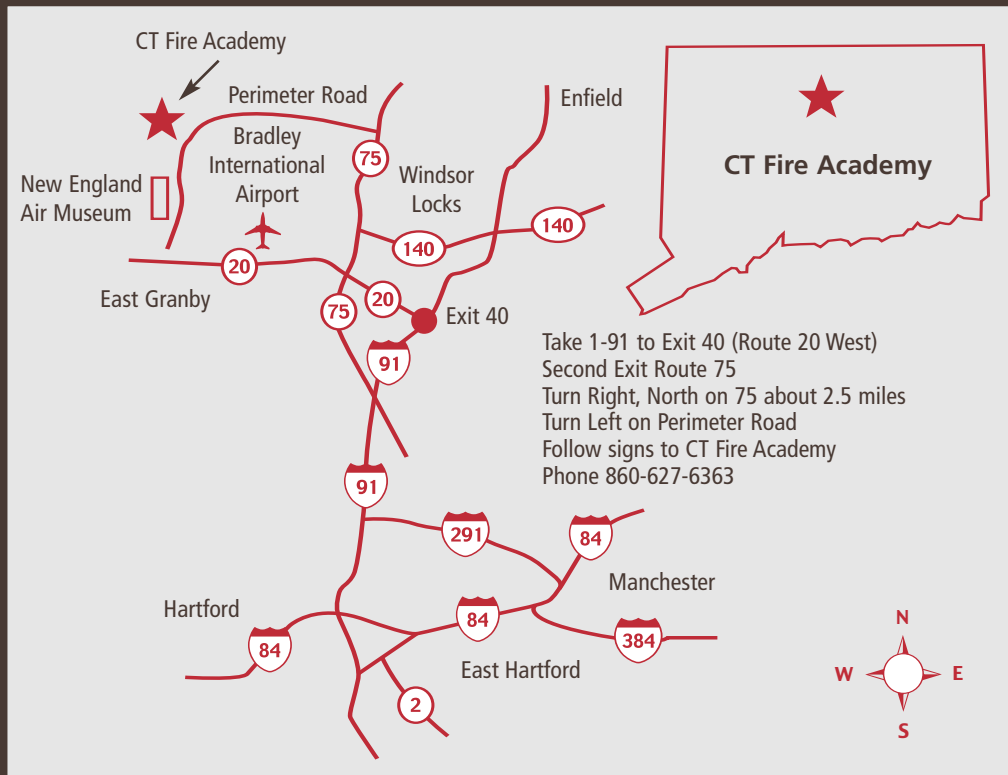
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Weather Cancellation	Hotline	450	Updated 6:30 am

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I-91 North or South to exit 40 (Route 20, Bradley Connector). Follow Route 20 West 1.7 miles to the exit for Route 75. Take a right off the exit onto Route 75 North and follow 2.5 miles. Take a left onto Perimeter Road (see sign for the CT Fire Academy and the New England Air Museum). Continue 1.4 miles to the Academy, which will be on your right. Parking is available at the rear of the building.



## Weather Cancellations

For weather cancellation information call the Connecticut Fire Academy Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 a.m.

860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450.

Cancellation information will also be available on WFSB channel 3, WTNH channel 8, and WVIT channel 30 the morning of the class.



## Wireless Internet Access

Increasingly, students and instructors are bringing laptop computers to the Connecticut Fire Academy (CFA) especially for officer and instructor classes. The Commission on Fire Prevention and Control (CFPC) now offers limited wireless hotspot access to the Internet in some areas of the CFA. This public service is currently available in the following locations: dorm rooms, auditorium, multipurpose room, and the classroom wing.

Users alone are responsible for security and maintenance of your equipment. The Academy cannot provide you with computer software, hardware, or technical support to include disks, printers, scanners, etc. CFPC/CFA staff is not permitted to support user connectivity issues or user computer issues of any type.



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